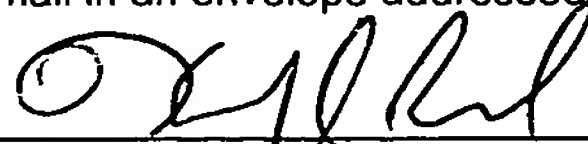


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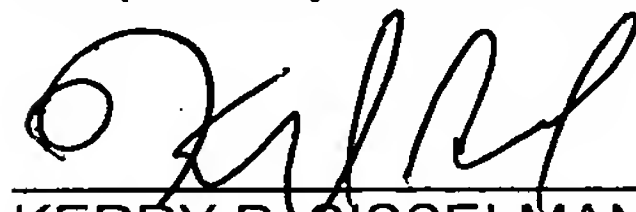
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The fee required for the late filing of an oath or declaration in the amount of \$130.00 is also enclosed.

The declaration is in accordance with 37 CFR 1.68.

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